

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE  
NOTICE OF APPEAL (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**P27,901-A USA**

Re Application Of:

**Alan M. Warshawsky**

Serial No.  
**08/893,080**

Filing Date  
**December 19, 1997**

Examiner  
**B. Kifle**

Group Art Unit  
**7559**

Invention:

**3-Mercaptoacetyl amino 1.5-Substituted-2-Oxo-Azepan Derivatives  
Useful as Inhibitors of Matrix Metalloproteinase**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **March 3, 2004** in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):


☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☒ Five months

from: **March 3, 2004**  
*Date*

until: **August 3, 2004**  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,970** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.

  
*Signature*

Dated: **August 2, 2004**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **August 2, 2004** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

  
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